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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby request a three (3) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated April 9, 2003. This three month extension will extend the due date from July 9, 2003 to October 9, 2003. An appropriate response in the form of an Amendment is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the extension fee of \$930 to our Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Please also charge this deposit account for any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

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Respectfully requested,

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